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(RR-473PCT/US)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Chris C. Miller

Serial No.: 09/762,152

Filed: February 1, 2001

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
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INFECTIONS BY NITRIC OXIDE  
INHALATION

Group Art Unit: 1616

Examiner: Haghighatian, Mina

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 29, 2003, Applicant submits this Amendment and Response. Applicant believes that this Amendment and Response is timely made. If Applicant is mistaken, however, please consider this a petition for the necessary extension of time and the Commissioner is authorized to charge Sidley Austin Brown and Wood's Deposit Account # 50-1597 for any fees necessitated by this filing, including the fee for the extension of time.

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**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for the above-identified application are:

- 1) Amendment and Response;
  - 2) Information Disclosure Statement w/PTO-1449, a copy of the cited art; and
  - 3) return postcard.
- ☒ If an extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and authorization to charge Sidley Austin Brown & Wood's Deposit Account No. **50-1597**.

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**FEES FOR CLAIMS:**

☐ Applicant claims small entity status pursuant to 37 CFR 1.27.

The fees for claims (37 CFR § 1.16(b)-(d)) have been calculated as shown below:

Total Claims	29	-	31	=	0	x	\$18.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims	5	-	7	=	0	x	\$84.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims	\$280	(if applicable)					<input type="checkbox"/>	\$0.00
<b>TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS</b>								\$0.00
Reduction by 1/2 for Filing by Small Entity. Note 37 CFR §§ 1.9, 1.27, 1.28.								<input type="checkbox"/> \$0.00
<b>TOTAL FEES FOR CLAIMS SUBMITTED HERewith</b>								\$0.00

- ☐ A check in the amount of **\$180.00** is enclosed to cover the above fee(s).
- ☒ Charge Sidley Austin Brown & Wood's Deposit Account No. **50-1597** in the amount of **\$180.00**.
- ☒ The Commissioner is authorized to charge Sidley Austin Brown & Wood's Deposit Account No. **50-1597** for any fees required under 37 CFR §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that are not covered, in whole or in part, by a check enclosed herewith and to credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account **50-1597**.

Respectfully Submitted,

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